

REGISTRATION FORM

2003 DRSP/MRSA Surveillance Conference: Improving-State Based Surveillance

March 12-13, 2003

Westin Peachtree Plaza, Atlanta, Georgia

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Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologists

*Please complete one registration form per participant and **return by March 5, 2003***

First Name _____ Last Name _____ (Degrees) _____

Title _____ Organization _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Daytime Phone _____ Fax _____ Email _____

☐ **YES, I would like to display examples of my state's surveillance forms and communication pieces during the conference exhibit.**

(Please call me with additional information)

☐ YES, I am interested in serving as a reviewer for CDC's upcoming toolkit: *State-Based Options for Surveillance of Drug-Resistant Streptococcus pneumoniae*

Please Indicate Your Preference for Breakout Sessions

Tuesday Morning Session:

- ☐ Tracking resistance using sentinel surveillance
- ☐ Preparing for vancomycin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus*
- ☐ Using ICD9 data for surveillance of *Staphylococcus aureus*

Lunch Roundtable Session (optional):

- ☐ Developing a Vancomycin-resistant Pneumococcal Response Plan
- ☐ Practicalities of the DRSP surveillance manual

Tuesday Afternoon Session:

- ☐ Nuts and bolts of collecting and testing isolates
- ☐ Tracking resistance using antibiogram-based surveillance
- ☐ Bioterrorism and antimicrobial resistance: Enhancing capacity through an integrated system

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ACCOMODATIONS AND TRANSPORTATION

The Westin Peachtree Plaza, located at 210 Peachtree Street, Atlanta, Georgia, is offering a special conference room rate of \$93.00 plus tax. **Please make your reservations before February 1, 2003** to guarantee this rate by contacting the Westin Peachtree Plaza at 1-800 - WESTIN or (404) 659- 1400. Conference participants are urged to contact Westin Reservations directly to reserve hotel rooms and arrange direct billing arrangements. CDC is not responsible for arranging individual travel.

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REGISTRATION DEADLINES

Deadline for conference registration is March 5, 2003

